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—JANUARY 1, 1904—

Turn over to-day.

The year 1903 has been a year of horrors, holocausts and terrible disasters. Let us hope for better things this year.

A panic in cotton Tuesday caused a drop of \$4 a bale and many small-margin traders were wiped out in the twinkling of an eye.

The Cadiz Record says Capt. Joo. C. Dabney will be appointed county attorney to succeed Commoo. "Well, to skip a lary details, I was on day, searching the hi' for a certain orchid to a large treeless, probably 300 acres. Railroad, has resigned to rent, and about a pe President of the Rock surface of this cled system, and has been succ- rolling plain wined by Vice President Oscar G. long grass, across- ay.

The Eddyville Tale of Two nes and the Kuttawa Times have been purchased by N. W. Utley, U. S. King, J. R. Catlett and J. T. McDonald. They will consolidate the two papers under the name of the Lyon County Times. Mr. J. T. McDonald will have charge of the plant.

All of the overchecks given by the Frankfort Chair Company to Auditor Coulter for convict labor have been paid and what was her- zided as a big sensation turned out to be a mare's nest. Gus Coulter will go out of office with a good record as Auditor and is entitled to fair treatment.

The Status of the Southwestern Oil In- subject of an illustrate- there in the January Review. News by Day Allen Willey. The Texas and California oil fields are described at length and the prospects of the industry discussed in detail.

The editor of the Kentuckian ac- knowledges with thanks an invita- tion to the New Year's reception of the Louisville Commercial Club at the Louisville Hotel to day. Ad- dresses will be made by Judge Henry S. Barker, Rev. Carter Hal- Jones and others. The invitations are very handsome cards, with a wreath of holly in colors on the front page.

Joseph L. Bristow: The Argus of the Post Office Department, is the subject of an interesting sketch in the January Review of Reviews by Clarence W. Bristow educated himself, after his marriage with a view to entering the Methodist min- istry; but after graduation from college he became a newspaper editor, and was picked out by President McKinley to be Fourth Assistant Postmaster General and by President Roosevelt to hunt down rascalities in the postal service.

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. Chenebly, Lowell, Mass.

S. Hall druggist, cracked, a retail stamping. "From make Nu- ent this artist.

Itching Skin

Distress by day and night— That's the complaint of those who are so unfortunate as to be afflicted with Eczema or Salt Rheum—and outward applications do not cure. They can't.

The source of the trouble is in the blood—make that pure and this scaling, burning, itching skin disease will disappear.

"I was taken with an itching on my arms which proved very disagreeable. I concluded it was salt rheum and bought a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla. In two days after I began taking it I felt better and it was not long before I was cured. Have never had any skin disease since." Mrs. Ida E. Ward, Cove Point, Md.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

rid the blood of all impurities and cure all eruptions.

LOUISIANA PURCHASE GOLD DOLLAR.

Finest Example of Modern Coin- age Art.



[Written By Farran Zerbe.]

"Thelate coins issued from the United States Mint at Philadelphia to commemorate the Louisiana Purchase Gold Dollar have been pronounced by numismatists the finest examples of modern coining art. This coinage, which will live as a metallic memorial of the great World's Fair of 1904, was provided for by a specific Act of Congress which also limits their issue to 250,000 pieces. The entire coinage will be delivered direct to the Exposition Company and will represent a part of the Government's general appropriation of \$5,000,000 for the Exposition.

These specially designed coins are of two types: two obverses having the same reverse: 125,000 bear an excellent likeness to Thomas Jefferson—the Government father of the Louisiana Purchase. This portrait of Jefferson, which is pronounced the best known, was taken from one of the medals in the Mint cabinet, the original of which was engraved by John Reich, who, for some years during the Jefferson period, was connected with the Mint. The other 125,000 present the profile of William McKinley, the Government father of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition. The McKinley portrait was also taken from a Mint cabinet medal, for which the late president gave special sitting to Mint Engraver Charles E. Barber, and which is considered by the late president's friends his best portrait.

Surrounding these profile portraits is the inscription: United States of America. The reverse is inscribed: Louisiana Purchase Exposition St. Louis which surrounds One Dollar 1803 1903 and a small olive branch, emblematic of peace.

Gold dollars were first issued in 1849 and coined every year until discontinued in 1889. During these forty years over nineteen million pieces passed to circulation, and thought it is less than fifteen years since they ceased to be coined, all have disappeared from circulation. In fact this type of coin is a curiosity to many and the most common dates command \$2 each from coin dealers and the rarest, 1875, is in demand at prices approaching \$60.

The general interest that is to be found for the regular issue prompted the Exposition Company to adopt the gold dollar for its commemorative coinage; and the prices the regular issue commands, considering large number that were coined, led to placing the price of \$3 on the Louisiana Purchase gold dollar. In an official circular it is stated: "No coins of this issue will be placed upon sale at a lower figure." Most all who will find an interest in preserving this coin, which may be called a gem, will want both types and in this respect only 125,000 purchasers can be accommodated.

The Louisiana Purchase gold dollar is the fourth child in the numismatic family of United States commemorative issues; it is the diminutive member of that family but the most artistic and powerful, as it is the finest example of designing, engraving and stamping and is of gold. The older members of the family are less fine and all in the baser metal, silver.

Justice to its artistic merits cannot be given in an illustration. The excellent portraiture that has been reproduced within the diameter of one inch is indicative of our blacker and try's progress and leadership the art of die engraving and a retail stamping. "From make Nu- ent this artist.

ht of fou- 200 pounds, and about 900 pounds.

USEFUL PRESENTS

And Recipient Extends Many Thanks to the Donors.

Lafayette, Ky., Dec. 29, 1903.

Editor Kentuckian:

The good people of this town have presented me with a nice writing outfit, including a desk, by unknown friends, a nice lot of paper and envelopes by Mrs. Annie Purcell and a very fine pen by Miss Julia Purcell. Nothing they could have given me would have been more appreciated, and I tender my sincere thanks to each and every one that took part in that benevolent deed. During my affliction the people have done many things for me, and I fully realize that I owe them more than I can ever pay. But I want my dear friends to know that every favor has been appreciated and wish it was in my power to return every one of them. It is not my will to put the people to any trouble or expense, for I had much rather give than to receive, but from some cause that no one but God can reveal, I have been fettered and will have to make the best of it. So again thanking the people of Lafayette and wishing them a successful future, I remain, yours respectfully,

DICK THACKER.

COOPER & CO'S DRAWING.

Big Crowd Present To See The Awards Made.

W. T. Cooper & Co's drawing took place at the Court House Tuesday with Mayor Jouett Heney, Judge Polk Cansler and Mr. Chas. M. Meacham as judges. The numbers were drawn by little Miss Lena Clark. The prizes in regular numerical order were won by the following parties: Prof. J. B. Taylor, Mrs. Jas. Skarrey, C. W. Foster, Douglass Terry, R. M. Meacham, L. L. Leavell, E. M. Sherwood, W. A. Adcock, Henry Stites, W. L. Gore, Frank Robinson, Dr. T. W. Blakey, C. E. West, Jas. Allen, W. A. P'Pool, R. S. Carter, E. G. Bennett, J. M. Tinsley, J. M. Hall, C. R. Hayden, Miss Kate O'Brien, L. A. McReynolds, Mrs. Phil Davis, C. E. West, J. F. Richardson, W. H. Elgin, Ben F. Boyd, E. G. Pedigo, Peter Clardy, Mrs. L. A. Giles, Mrs. A. Hopson, Dave Fish, Geo. T. Herndon.

There were 25000 numbers in the wheel.

The official publication of the awards will be made Tuesday.

MENSER-PENDLEY.

Marriage of Macedonia People Will Take Place Sunday.

A license was granted yesterday to James Menser to wed Miss Maggie Pendley. The young people live near Macedonia and the marriage will take place Sunday.

Presented With Overcoat.

The patrons on R. F. D. No. 4 gave the carrier, Mr. W. B. Dillman, a fine overcoat for a Christmas present. The presentation was made by Mr. C. F. Jarrett. It was intended as a testimonial of the appreciation in which his faithful service was held.

WRONG SHOAT.

Negro Boy In Jail Charged With Hog Stealing.

Town Marshal A. C. Joiner, of Lafayette, Wednesday brought to jail a negro boy named Dennis Bussell, who was held over in Esq. J. F. Dixon on a charge of hog stealing. It is charged that Bussell, on Sunday evening before dark, knocked in the head shoat belonging to Ashton Rogers, col., put it in a sack and was caught in the act by the owner of the pig after he had gone some distance with it. The boy was taken in charge and if the hog was of sufficient value, he seems to have a clear track to the penitentiary. He is a son of Jack Bussell, of Lafayette.

Cross?

Poor man! He can't help it. He gets bilious. He needs a good liver pill—Ayer's Pills. They act directly on the liver, cure biliousness.

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Use

BUCKINGHAM'S DYE

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Use

STOP THAT UGH!

Colds Lead to Catarrh—Catarrh Consumption.

A Beautiful Girl's Experience



MISS ALMA LILLIA.

Miss Alma Lillia, 508 18th Rockland, Ill., says:

"I am a friend to Peruna. It cured me two days of a cold which had in an annoying me three weeks and which had developed a bad catarrhal affection of the throat and lungs. I had a fever of colds during the year, which left me with a little more cough; then this cold was there. I took cough medicines and they did not cure me. I was in such a state that I was almost out of my mind. I was in such a state that I was almost out of my mind. I was in such a state that I was almost out of my mind."

Nine cases of consumption out of ten occur in this way:

A person catches a cold. The cold is not properly cured, and they quickly catch another one. This cold is dilly-dallied with by no treatment, or some

Illia, of Illinois, started out this way. Fortunately, she nurse of Peruna before it was She had caught several colds, high developed. She took all high medicines, until, as she weakened at the sight of them, she Peruna had cured her of and her system was entirely

that Peruna is doing all the t a day, and probably not an a but some one has a similar with Peruna. step toward consumption is ld. The next step is a failure promptly. The third step is ment of catarrh, which grades chronic. The fourth step, begins to spread from the throat. The fifth step, the ads to the bronchial tubes It then becomes consump- at stage.

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"It deserves the praise hat appearance of a cough, a runa should be taken rections. One bottle in ill do more than a half after the catarrh has in the lungs.

arrive prompt and satisfac- from the use of Peruna, Dr. Hartman, giving a your case, and he will e you his valuable ad

farmers, President of itarian, Columbus, O.

MISSES GRAHAM & WALLER

Pleasantly Entertained the Young People Tuesday Evening.

The reception given Tuesday evening by Misses Graham and Waller was the most largely attended of the many holiday gatherings. Miss Jeanie Graham was assisted in receiving by the following couples: Mr. Wallace Kelly and Miss Katherine Jones; Mr. Campbell, of Lexington, and Miss Edith Waller; Mr. Threlkeld, of Lexington, and Miss Bessie Waller.

The refreshments were delicious and the occasion was in every respects enjoyable.

Huffman-Donnelly.

Aaron C. Huffman, of Indiana, and Miss Emma Donnelly, formerly of this place, were married here last Monday evening. Dr. C. H. Nash performed the ceremony.

The Kenton Club gave a dance at its club rooms last evening and danced in the New Year.

Clay Clement played "The New Dominion" last night to a large thoroughly pleased audience.

A petition has been filed at Owensboro to throw the Corydon Anchor Roller Mills into bankruptcy.

Pure whiskey HARPER perfect whiskey HARPER every bottle guaranteed HARPER. Sold by W. R. Long.

NEW LANDLORD.

Mr. R. M. Hester Now Proprietor of Lafayette Hotel.

Mr. J. L. Thacker has retired from the management of the Lafayette hotel and is succeeded by Mr. R. M. Hester, of near that place. The new proprietor will take charge to-day.

Miss Sallie George Blakey will entertain the members of the Oumswee Club and their friends this evening.

If you don't buy from J. T. Wall & Co. don't buy Clothg RIGHT

A Ma's mas!

You can hunt all over and you can't find store where there's so many

Appropriats for Men boys.

Come to a Ma's Man's things. We low ht and correct and known like. Our Coats, Suits, White Vests, Rain Coats, Umbrellas, Dress suits, Neckwear, and beautiful Gloves for heavy Half Hose, Suspenders, Strts of all kinds, Cuff buttons, Studs, Pair Odd Pants, Breast Protectors, White Silk Handkerchiefs.

Again we see for a man's things, very Boys too.

Signature of J. T. Wall & Co.

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